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MONTANA FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, BEAVERHEAD COUNTY

LISA M. OSORIO,

Plaintiff,

VS.

MONTY R. SNEED and TREASURE VALLEY, Inc., an Oregon Corporation and JOHN and JANE DOES, A-F,

Defendants.

CV-06-82-BU-RWA

Cause No D V - 06 - 12973

Judge Assigned Dept. No. LOREN TUCKER

> COMPLAINT AND DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

Plaintiff, Lisa M. Osorio, by and through her attorney, Milton Datsopoulos of the law firm Datsopoulos, MacDonald & Lind, P.C., and for cause of action against Defendants, alleges as follows:

I. PARTIES

At all times material hereto, Lisa M. Osorio was a resident of the 1.

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State of Idaho, residing in the County of Bannock.

- 2. To the best information, knowledge and belief of the Plaintiff, at all times material hereto Defendant Monty Sneed was and continues to be a resident of the State of Oregon.
- 3. To the best information, knowledge and belief of the Plaintiff, at all times material hereto, Treasure Valley, Inc., was an Oregon corporation doing business in the County of Malheur.

II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

This court has jurisdiction over each of the parties. Venue is proper 4. in Beaverton County.

III. FACTS

- On or about November 25, 2004, the Plaintiff was laying across the 5. backseat of a 1993 Pontiac driven by her cousin, Chrislyn A. Tavo. Freddie Tsosie was seated in the front passenger seat. They were traveling southbound from Missoula, Montana back to their homes in Pocatello, Idaho on Interstate 15. The Tavo vehicle was traveling in the right hand lane.
- To the best information, knowledge and belief of the Plaintiffs, on or 6. about November 25, 2004, Monty R. Sneed was operating a 1998 Volvo 18-

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wheel semi-truck owned by Treasure Valley, Inc.. He was traveling southbound on Interstate 15.

- 7. At approximately 11:15 p.m., 5.4 miles north of the Montana-Idaho border, Beaverhead County, the Tavo vehicle had just driven over the crest of a hill. Chrislyn Tavo observed headlights in her rear-view mirror of a vehicle quickly approaching behind her vehicle. She proceeded to tap the brakes numerous times and attempted to drive her vehicle to the right onto the shoulder adjacent to the right traffic lane.
- Despite evasive efforts, the semi truck violently collided with the rear 8. end of the Pontiac. The tremendous impact forced the Pontiac off to the right of the interstate and caused it to spin 180 degrees and resulting in severe, multiple and permanent injury and impairment to the Plaintiff.
- 9. To the best information, knowledge and belief of the Plaintiff, the 18wheel Volvo semi operated by Mr. Sneed was owned by Treasure Valley, Inc.
- 10. At all times material hereto, to the best information, knowledge and belief of the Plaintiff, Defendant Monty Sneed was an employee of or otherwise in a relationship with Defendant Treasure Valley, Inc., and as such, Defendant Treasure Valley, Inc., is vicariously liable for the actions of Defendant Monty Sneed.

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IV. CAUSES OF ACTION

Negligence

- The acts or omissions of Defendant Monty Sneed alleged in 11. paragraphs 7 and 8 in operating the 18-wheel Volvo semi constituted a breach of duty of care owed to Plaintiff Lisa Osorio, which proximately caused damages to Plaintiff, the nature and extent of which shall be proven at the time of trial.
- 12. The acts or omissions of Defendant Monty Sneed in breaching the applicable duties of care owed to the Plaintiff and the resulting damage to Plaintiff constitute the actions of Defendant Treasure Valley, Inc., as the principle/employer of Defendant Monty Sneed, thereby making Defendant liable for the damages incurred by Plaintiff, the nature and extent of which shall be proven at the time of trial.

Negligent Infliction of Emotional Distress.

- Plaintiff hereby incorporates each and every allegation set forth in 13. paragraphs 1 through 12.
- The actions of Defendant Monty Sneed alleged in paragraphs 7 and 14. 8 in breaching the applicable duties of care owned to the Plaintiff caused the Plaintiff to endure serious and/or severe emotional distress which proximately

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caused damage to Plaintiff, the nature and extent of which shall be proven at the time of trial.

15. The acts or omissions of Defendant Monty Sneed alleged in paragraphs 7 and 8 in breaching the applicable duties of care owed to the Plaintiff and the resulting damage to Plaintiff constitutes the actions of Defendant Treasure Valley, Inc., as the principle/employer of Defendant Monty Sneed, thereby making Defendant liable for the damages incurred by Plaintiff, the nature and extent of which shall be proven at the time of trial.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment and relief, jointly and severally against Defendants as follows:

- 1. Compensatory Damages;
- 2. For reasonable attorney fees and costs;
- 3. For such other and further relief as the court deems just and equitable.

DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

The Plaintiff hereby demands a trial by jury on all issues so triable.

Dated this 6 day of October, 2006.

Datsopoulos, MacDonald & Lind, P.C.

Attorneys for Plaintiff